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NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.

O. O. MCINTYRE.

New York, Nov. 23.—Sailors who come to Broadway for a touch of high life have invented a new drink called the submarine. It is a silver fish floated on a pony of cream yvette in a hollow stemmed champagne glass. Those who have partaken of the drink, it seems, have had a remorseful return to a prohibition navy.

New drinks spread like wildfire. Shortly after invented they are drunk by patrons in bars ten blocks away. The liquid combination is milky white above and purple below and the submarine effect is secured after drinking about three.

Bartenders say their jobs depend on knowing a new drink right after it is invented. For if they do not know how to mix it when it is sought they lose customers. The man whose business it is to pick out wall paper designs that are going to be fashionable next season has a soft job compared to the New York bartenders.

Bob Davis, editor of the Munsey flock of magazines, received a few days ago a short fiction story from a well known newspaperman. By return mail the newspaperman received the following note:

"Dear Bill:—Having the office preparatory to taking a night off with your story. One of us is going to be terribly damaged.—R. H. D."

New York shop girls are about to face the dread weapon of torture. No way has ever been devised to make Christmas buyers and sellers. They wait until the last week and then comes the jamming, pushing and shoving and hysteria in the big department stores.

It is told that a huge athlete had just swum through Hell Gate with his hands tied and two men clinging to him. He lay gasping on the wharf. "A marvelous performance!" cried a

stranger who looked as if he might have money. "I would like to engage you."

"For the movies?" said the athlete eagerly.

"No," said the stranger. "I think you are just the man to do my Christmas eve shopping for me." But the athlete closed his eyes.

"Not that test," he moaned. "Not that."

The homicide bureau reports that so far this year in New York there have been twelve double tragedies. This is, of course, exclusive of the eugenic marriages.

Frank O'Brien has discovered the Original New York "Tin for Wilson's reclamation," said the O. L. B. "but who is this fellow Marshall they talk of putting up for Vice President?"

The influence of the moving pictures is now being felt in politics. State Assemblyman Mitchell, of the New York-York district, author of the motion picture censorship law, has been defeated for re-election by a majority of more than 1,200 votes. His election was considered certain.

He had received the nominations of both the Republican and Independent parties. The election was opposed by two rival candidates who were expected to divide the opposition.

The motion picture people organized a campaign against him and made it effective by selecting one of the opposing candidates to receive their support.

Irvin Cobb's play "Back Home" is not calculated to remain long on Broadway. Cobb, however, has silly put the blame on Bayard Veiller, who dramatized the piece.

CHESSE EXPERT PLAYS TONIGHT.

Kostic Will Meet All-Comers in Club Tourney.

Boris Kostic, the famous Serbian player, will give an exhibition match against all comers at the rooms of the Capital City Chess Club, 1110 G Street N. W., this evening.

Mr. Kostic is completing a tour of the United States and after this evening's performance will leave for New York, where he will continue his tour.

Visitors are welcome to witness or take part in the play at the Capital City Club tonight which begins at 8 o'clock.

PARIS STORE FIRE LOSS \$2,000,000.

Paris, Nov. 23.—The fire that broke out yesterday in the great Bon Marche store was finally extinguished early today.

The loss is estimated at \$2,000,000. The main building was saved.

SUCCESS OF A NEW REMEDY FOR BACKACHE, RHEUMATISM, KIDNEYS

Folk in Washington and adjoining counties are delighted with the results they have obtained from the use of Dr. Pierce's "An-uric" medicine.

FORMER WIFE SUES BULKLEY.

Lecturer Made Defendant in Suit Over Maintenance Contract.

HAMLINE CHURCH IS OUT OF DEBT

Congregation Clears Incumbance Before Its Anniversary Stars Next Monday.

GET \$3,000 ON ONE DAY

Jubilee Will Continue All Next Week. With Former Pastors Speaking Every Night but Saturday.

Hamline M. E. Church, at Ninth and P streets northwest, will commence the jubilee of the fiftieth anniversary of its establishment next Sunday, absolutely free of debt for the first time in its existence.

During the past week the remaining indebtedness of \$3,000 was wiped out and the church enters upon its jubilee festivities entirely unincumbered. Nearly ten years ago, the debt was cut down from approximately \$50,000, and indeed the entire indebtedness was subscribed for by members of the congregation and the death of some subscribers and the inability of others to pay, owing to various misfortunes, had left a deficit of \$3,000.

Gets \$3,000 on One Day.

Last Thursday, officials of the church took a day off from their work and care vased the congregation for subscriptions. In that one day, \$3,000 was raised, \$1,000 of the amount being received in cash. Of this cash sum, Rev. Dr. Lucius C. Clark, the pastor, collected more than \$1,000. Last Sunday morning, the remaining indebtedness of \$2,000 was paid for by church members in less than ten minutes.

Hamline is said to be the only Methodist church in the District that is absolutely free from debt.

The jubilee celebration will commence Sunday and continue for a week. Services will be held every night, except Saturday. Many former pastors of the church will speak and the three surviving charter members of the congregation will attend.

'MOSQUITO TESTS MADE PANAMA CANAL REALITY'

Lecturer Pays Tribute to Dr. Howard, of Department of Agriculture, for Discovery.

That the discovery by Dr. L. O. Howard, of the Agriculture Department, that mosquitoes breed in stagnant pools and have to come to the surface to breathe made possible the digging of the Panama Canal, was the statement last night of Mrs. David Fairchild, a lecturer on "Monsters of Our Back Yard" at the Home Club.

She believed that more credit should go to Dr. Howard for having made possible the digging of the canal than to the men who actually dug it, she said.

Mrs. Fairchild said that the female mosquito is more deadly than the male and that while the male is a vegetarian, the female has formed a taste for warm blooded animals and particularly the male mosquito sings and the female has no voice.

Mrs. Fairchild said that ants had developed a wonderful social system, holding thousands of other ants in subjection and being ruled by a queen who lays all the eggs from which the ant race is perpetuated.

In the meantime, however, several members of the committee are going over the gallery floors of testimony and making memoranda to guide them in preparing their views for use as evidence.

Senator Works is the only member working on a report for presentation to the full committee.

LAW STUDENTS PLAN SMOKER.

Senior Class at Georgetown to Hold Get-together Meeting.

Students of the senior class of Georgetown University Law School are planning for a smoker and get-together meeting to be held Tuesday night, December 2, at 9 o'clock at the University Club. Dean George W. Williams, Jr., chairman; Daniel E. Bowes, Francis R. Condon, Leroy S. Darr, Carlton G. Eldridge, Charles E. Hart, John D. Hird, Daniel J. Kelly, Maurice F. Lyons, Eustace L. Noble, Andrew B. Phillips, Harry E. Ryan, Curtis L. Sparkman, Robert E. J. Whelan, Howard E. Jones, Percy H. Currey, Joseph M. P. Donohoe, James H. Fitzgerald, Lawrence J. Heller, Julian C. Hyer, George C. Lancaster, Clarence D. McKean, Luke C. O'Brien, Pablo Rivera, Frank I. Shea, Francis C. Vonachen and John F. Weiser.

HOSPITAL HAS DONATION DAY.

Ladies' Board of Georgetown Institution Receives Contributions.

The annual donation party for the benefit of Georgetown University Hospital was held yesterday afternoon at the hospital from 2 until 6 o'clock. The tea table was in charge of Mrs. Milton E. Allen, Mrs. George Tully Vaughan, Mrs. Nellie E. Pealy, and Mrs. Frederica Pratt.

Mrs. Isaac Gans, president of the ladies' board of the hospital, received, assisted by Mrs. Wilfred Barton, Miss Mary E. Whelan, and Mrs. Joseph Strasburger, officers. The following committee arranged the affair: Mrs. J. Harry Covington, Mrs. Frank Baker, Mrs. F. W. Deidman, Mrs. Thomas Stanton, Mrs. Edwin B. Behrend, Mrs. Joseph Wall, Mrs. Michael J. Ready, Mrs. John E. Laskey, Mrs. Annie E. Murphy, Mrs. D. J. Callahan, Mrs. J. Ryan Devereux, Mrs. Ashley M. Gould, Mrs. J. J. McIntyre, and Mrs. J. Eakin Gadsby.

Fifteen years ago the total annual cost of the British army was only a little more than \$5,000,000. The present war is costing Great Britain \$5,000,000 a day.

Much Criticized Eugenic Doctor and Two Children He Has Adopted.



Dr. Harry J. Halseiden, the Chicago doctor, who has been praised and condemned for his eugenic theories, has two adopted children—Beulah Hope Wesley, 17 months old, and Dorothy Riggs, 15 months old.

Get Ready for Great War, Bicknell Urges Red Cross

Plans Should Be Made for Strife of Same Magnitude as Europe's, Thinks National Director—District Chapter Warned of Starvation Horrors.

Preparedness does not mean merely preparation for war, but preparation to meet the horrors of disease and starvation which follow in the wake of fighting armies, speakers at the annual meeting of the District chapter of the American Red Cross, at the home of Mrs. Robert Patterson at 15 Dupont circle, yesterday.

The Red Cross acts alone one-tenth of its supplies for use in possible war in the District, said Mr. Bicknell, chairman of the committee on the Red Cross helpers.

Should Prepare for Great War.

Ernest P. Bicknell, national director of the American Red Cross, urged members of the chapter to take warning from the European war and to prepare for a war of such magnitude in this country.

"They are fighting on 2,000 miles of battle front in Europe," said Mr. Bicknell. "That line would stretch from New York to Denver. If there is ever a war here, it will be such a war that, and it will not be a war of armies alone, but a war in which every citizen of this country will have to strain every nerve and resource. We can not afford to forget the lesson of the past. The situation there is a situation which might be here."

Miss Jane Delano said new standards of nursing have been introduced in Southern Europe by American doctors and nurses during the war. The standard, she said, will not end with the close of the war. The nurses, she said, will stay in the fighting nations and establish training schools for nurses.

Re-elect All Officers.

A nominating committee composed of Gen. John M. Wilson, Admiral W. K. Van Rye and Miss Marian Oliver moved the re-election of the officers of the chapter. The suggestion was approved unanimously. The officers are:

Admiral N. E. Mason, chairman; H. B. Macfarland, first vice chairman; Rev. Dr. John Van Schaick, Jr., second vice chairman; Mrs. John McLaughlin, secretary; H. B. Reeside, treasurer, and J. M. Wilson, chairman of the chapter. The following are the officers of the chapter: Mrs. W. H. Bayly, Miss Anna J. Greenlee, S. C. Peelle, and C. C. Glover, Jr. The following are the officers of the chapter: Mrs. W. H. Bayly, Miss Anna J. Greenlee, S. C. Peelle, and C. C. Glover, Jr.

Name National Delegates.

Miss Mabel Boardman compared the American Red Cross with the Red Cross of other nations.

Japan, she said, had more than 1,000,000 members in its Red Cross; Germany, at the present time, has 1,000,000, while the United States has but 25,000.

Miss Boardman said that in answer to charges that the Red Cross is both pro-German and pro-Ally, she could

PAID \$11,000,000 "JUST LIKE THAT!"

Mellin Tells of John L. Billard's Cash Purchase of Boston and Maine Stock.

Special to The Washington Herald.

New York, Nov. 23.—The venture of John L. Billard into the realm of high finance was the feature of today's session of the New Haven directors' trial. Billard is a coal and lumber dealer of Meriden, Conn. Charles S. Mellin stated that he knew him for twelve or fifteen years. It was under Mellin's auspices that Billard made his debut in 1908 as a trafficker in large blocks of stocks. It was developed by the government that an agreement dated in 1908, between Mellin and Robert Winsor, of Kidder, Peabody & Co., provided for the co-operation of Mellin and Winsor in matters of interest to either of them before the Massachusetts legislature.

It was shown that the New Haven finally regained control of the Boston and Maine stock from which it had been ousted by the Cole family in 1907, by a later enactment of the Massachusetts legislature creating the Boston Railroad Holding Company.

Mellin, in the afternoon, related how Billard took from the New Haven the 10,948 shares of Boston and Maine stock. The price was \$11,000,000. Billard paid \$10,000,000 in cash and the balance in his notes.

Mayor Mitchell May Eat Turkey.

New York, Nov. 23.—Mayor Mitchell's condition is so favorable that doctors attending him promised today that if he had no symptoms developed between now and Thanksgiving Day, he may then be removed to his home for Thanksgiving dinner.

Ontario produces 30 per cent of the world's nickel supply, and one-seventh of the silver.

SCOUT WORKERS SWELL RECEIPTS

Members of Teams Will Strive to Gain Remainder of \$30,000 Today.

TOO BUSY TO REPORT

Luncheon at Willard This Afternoon Expected to Be Attended by All the Campaigners.

With enthusiasm and determination, workers in the campaign for the raising of \$30,000 for the Boy Scouts of America district will strive today to run the total subscriptions up to the coveted mark.

This is the third day in the financial crusade being conducted by the promoters of the scout organization in the National Capital. Although only about a fifth of the desired amount has been raised, officials are hopeful of greatly increasing this before the end of the day.

Too Busy to Make Reports.

Reports of the amounts collected by the various campaigners have been made daily by the workers at luncheon held at the New Willard. But many of the campaigners have been so busy collecting subscriptions that they have been unable to attend these affairs. Consequently, their reports have not been filed. It is expected the luncheon at 1 o'clock today, will be the best attended since the opening of the crusade, as today marks the end of the campaign.

The standing of the various teams of workers materially changed yesterday after the reports of the campaigning had been submitted. Many teams and captains were so busy hunting subscribers that they were unable to attend, but requested that they be allowed to submit their reports today. Following yesterday's luncheon, several team captains and members lauded the work of the Boy Scouts and the success of the campaign.

Frank L. Middleton told of several experiences which gave an insight into the services rendered by the scouts of the city.

Capt. Otto J. De Moll, whose team was organized only Monday afternoon, came to the luncheon with the highest countenance and reported the raising of \$473. The seventy-four workers assembled around the luncheon tables applauded the reading of the report.

Livingstone Still Heads List.

Field Executive Hugh L. Taylor was complimented by Scout Executive Houseman and the teams for his successful efforts at swelling the miscellaneous fund. Amounts raised by the various teams during the first two days of the campaign follow: Livingstone team, \$1,986; Middleton team, \$1,945; Pinkel team, \$1,814; Brooks team, \$1,745; Davis & Thompson team, \$1,700; Young team, \$1,650; Bangs team, \$1,600; Grove team, \$1,550; Faust team, \$1,500; Harris & Johnson team, \$1,450; De Moll team, \$473; Thompson team, \$473. The miscellaneous fund totals \$774. This brings the total amount up to \$6,692.50.

At Boy Scout headquarters last night it was said that a number of unofficial reports and mail pledges had been received, boosting these figures materially.

The late afternoon session of the day was devoted to the raising of the miscellaneous fund. The following delegates were nominated to attend the annual meeting of the American Red Cross at Rauscher's, December 12:

C. G. Glover, Jr., Col. John Van Rensselaer Hoff, Simon Wolf, Mrs. W. K. Ellis, Mrs. John McLaughlin, Mrs. Archibald Hopkins, Miss Jean D. Cole, Miss A. J. Greenlee, Rev. Dr. John Van Schaick, Jr., Admiral N. E. Mason, and W. H. Baldwin.

Simon Wolf, chairman of a committee to draw up resolutions elucidating the four members of the District chapter, offered his resolution, which was accepted by the standing vote, upon which the meeting was adjourned in respect to the memories of the deceased members—Gen. George R. Davis, who was first vice chairman of the chapter; William J. Boardman, J. Not McGill and Gen. George M. Sternberg.

Secures 394 New Members.

Mrs. John McLaughlin, secretary, in her report, said:

The activities of the District chapter during the year have been the maintaining of the day camp, first aid classes, classes in elementary hygiene and the re-election of the officers of the chapter. The chapter has secured 394 new members during the year; that the total number of annual members is now 1,018, and that the number of life members is 154.

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DANIELS TO ASK FOR BIDS FOR SHIP STEEL

Navy Will Buy Material for Building of Battleships at Own Shops.

In another effort to beat down the price of private contractors for the construction of naval vessels, Secretary of the Navy Daniels announced yesterday he would call for bids from steel makers to supply the Navy Department direct with 2,000,000 pounds of plates, shapes, rivets and castings for use by Government navy yards in the construction of battleships of 16 and 18,000 tons additions to the fleet. Last week, the Department received bids from private shipbuilders for the construction of the new battleships, but the prices were so excessive, he believes that with the Government buying the steel direct from the foundries, the navy yards can do the work much cheaper.

The bids of the private builders for the two ships were: New York Shipbuilding Company, \$1,000,000; Fore River Shipbuilding Company, \$1,000,000; and Fore River Shipbuilding Company, \$1,000,000. The bids of the steel makers for the same work were: Bethlehem Steel Company, \$1,000,000; Carnegie Steel Company, \$1,000,000; and Carnegie Steel Company, \$1,000,000.

As the limit of cost fixed in the authorizing act is \$7,500,000, Secretary Daniels has obtained from three of the navy yards estimates as to how much they could build the ships for with the Government buying the steel direct from the makers. These estimates are as follows: Philadelphia Navy Yard, \$6,774,000; New York Navy Yard, \$6,774,000; and New York Navy Yard, \$6,774,000.

Pending the receipt of these bids from the steel makers, Secretary Daniels is withholding action on the bids recently opened for armor plate.

INSURANCE COMPANY'S DISSOLUTION SOUGHT

Majority of Trustees of National Capital Life Insurance Company

Legal Proceedings.

Following a meeting of the stockholders of the National Capital Life Insurance Company in the board room of the company, it was decided to ask a dissolution of the company and an investigation of the affairs of the corporation by the District attorney.

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